DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—It is reported that weeding operations are going on throughout the District and that horse gram and potatoes are being sown in parts of Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks. There were good showers of rain during this week throughout the District.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane paddy, ragi, avare, togari and horsegram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Potato is being harvested in parts of Magadi Taluk.

10. Fair, cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Ploughing operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in Bagepalli Taluk, for sowing jola.

Standing crops such as ragi and avare in parts of Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, same and haraka in Bowringpet Taluk, groundnuts in Bowringpet, Chintamani and Mulbagal Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, jola in Bowringpet and Sidlaghatta Taluks, sugar-cane and paddy in parts of Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks, horsegram and togari in Chintamani Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Some tanks in Bowringpet taluk are reported to be full, and many minor Tanks are reported to have discharged, and some in Tayalur Hobli of Mulbagal taluk, are also reported to be full.

Crops sown.—Horsegram is being sown in parts of Kolar, Chintamani, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks, and Punaji paddy in some parts of Chikballapur and jola in Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Onions and potatoes are being harvested in Chikballapur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of "Doddaroga" in Kandavara and Chokkanahalli villages and "Sapperoga" in Mushtur village of Chikballapur Taluk, and Rinderpest in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Jolam in Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Korategere Taluks, baragu in Madhugiri Taluk, navane in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and horsegram in Chiknaikanahalli and Koratagere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 to 10 annas; groundnut in parts of Gubbi Taluk, yields 12-16 annas.

Standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, avare, jolam, horse gram, cotton, castor, green and black grams, sugar-cane, save, navane baragu and haraka are reported to be in good condition all over the District on account of recent rains.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy all over the District.

Water and fodder are reported to be adequate and available at present.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, castor, groundnuts and togari, in parts of Chamarajnagar, Seringapatam and Yedatore Taluks, paddy, horsegram black and green grams in parts of Hunsur Taluk, and other standing crops in the rest of the Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Doddaroga prevails in Kudugavalli, Nagamangala Taluk and Kendalle in Siddayyanapur, Gundlupet Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been addressed to take necessary preventive and remedial measures.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk. Ragi in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks; sugar-cane in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; til in the Hassan Taluk; castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk; jolam, togari avare, and kulthi in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Standing crops in the Arkalgud Taluk are reported to be in need of rains.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for 'Chappe Roga' in the Bettadasathenahalli village Hole-Narsipur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Yannagar jola in the Taluks of Channagiri and Honnali, Horsegram in the Honnali Taluk are being sown during the week.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi, ragi, jola, cotton and horsegram in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi arecanut in the Taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Groundnut in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali, ragi in the Taluks of Channagiri and Shikarpur, paddy in Shikarpur and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair. Food grains are available and their prices are reported to be stationary.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for rinderpest in Sorab Town and in Puttanahalli Village in the Sorab Taluk, Harnahalli, Gabbur, Bhyranakoppa, Hittur, Thyajavalli and Sankenakoppa villages in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. (ಗೊಡವೆರೆಜಾಡ) is prevailing in Nelavagalu village of Shikarpur Taluk and the Veterinary Department is taking remedial measures in the matter.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets were well supplied.

9. (1) *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the Kadur Taluk.

(2) *Crops sown.*—Horsegram, coriander and bengalgram in the Chikmagalur Taluk, horsegram, coriander and jolam in the Kadur Taluk.

(3) *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi and sugarcane in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District. Avare, jolam, til, cotton, coriander, castor and chillies in the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks. Groundnut and togari in the Kadur Taluk, coffee in the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, arecanut in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District. Cardamom in the Mudgere Taluk are reported to be thriving well. Arecanut crop is reported to be suffering from Koleroga in some gardens of the Koppa Taluk and also in the Sringeri Sub-Taluk. The Amildar of the Mudgere Taluk reports that coffee plants in some of the estates of Banakal and Belur Hoblis are suffering from Leafrot, Diebeck and Stumprot.

(4) *Crops harvested.*—Til and garlic in the Chikmagalur Taluk, jolam in the Kadur Taluk, greengram and til in the Tarikere Taluk, arecanut in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District, but rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in Malalur Village in the Chikmagalur Taluk and Kanabur village in the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to be taking necessary action to prevent the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing operations are reported to be going on in the Taluks of Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur, Davangere, Jagalur and ploughing operation in the Taluk of Holalkere and Yedekunte work in Taluks of Molakalmuru, Hosdurga and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Groundnut, jola, blackgram, cotton, paddy, sugarcane, ragi, togari, avare, kulthi, navane, bilijola, castor, save, sajje, wheat, greengram Doddahatti (cotton) all these crops are reported to be in good condition without being damaged by insects.

Crops harvested with their outturn.—Chitaldrug—Groundnut (4 annas). Holalkere—Groundnut and Jola (8 annas). Davangere—Groundnut and navane (8 annas); Hosdurga—Jola. Jagalur—Groundnut (6 annas).

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug—Bilijola, Challakere—Kulthi, Hiriyur—Jola, cotton and kulthi. Holalkere—Bilijola. Davangere—Bilijola. Jagalur—Bilijola, sannahathi (cotton) and navane. Hosdurga—Navane and bilijola.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for "Chappe Roga" in Palakehalli Village, Metru Gattu Roga in Bellagatta and Janukonda villages; Naradi Roga in Pallavagere village of Chitaldrug Taluk and Rinderpest in Jogihalli village of Challakere Taluk. It is also reported that sheep are suffering from "Hullugadaku Roga" (ಹುಲ್ಲು ಗಡಕು ರೋಗ) in Taluk and Giriammanahalli villages of Challakere Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors are attending to put down the disease.

Water and fodder are generally available.

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